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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of

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For: TREATMENT OF HEMATOLOGIC  
MALIGNANCIES ASSOCIATED WITH  
CIRCULATING TUMOR CELLS USING  
CHIMERIC ANTI-CD20 ANTIBODY



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**AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.

☒ A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.

☐ A Terminal Disclaimer and a check for ☐ \$55.00 (248) ☐ \$110.00 (148) to cover the requisite Government fee are also enclosed.

☒ Also enclosed is Information Disclosure Statement.

☐            statement(s) claiming small entity status  
☐ are also enclosed ☐ were submitted previously.

☐ Applicant(s) request continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the ☐ \$345.00 (279) ☐ \$690.00 (179) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).

☐ Applicant(s) previously submitted                     , on                     , for which continued examination is requested.

☐ A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (146/246) is also enclosed.

☒ No additional claim fee is required.

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☐ An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:

AMENDED CLAIMS					
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Total Claims		MINUS =	.	× \$18.00 (103) =	
Independent Claims		MINUS =		× \$78.00 (102) =	
If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$260.00 (104)					
Total Amendment Fee					
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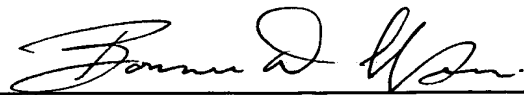
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